

SAINT PETER'S HISTORIC **MINNESOTA SQUARE PARK** WILL AGAIN BE THE SITE FOR THE **21ST ANNUAL ROCK BEND FOLK FESTIVAL, SEPTEMBER 10 AND 11, 2011**. THE FESTIVAL CONTINUES TO BUILD ON ITS TRADITION OF CELEBRATING SOUTHERN MINNESOTA FOLK ARTS AND ARTISTS, FEATURING JURIED ORIGINAL ARTS AND CRAFTS EXHIBITS AND DEMONSTRATIONS AS WELL AS FOLK, BLUES, BLUEGRASS, JAZZ AND FAMILY ACTIVITIES. THE GROUNDS OPEN SATURDAY AT 11 AM AND SUNDAY AT 11 AM. ADMISSION IS **FREE!**

THE FESTIVAL PRESENTS CONCURRENT PERFORMANCES BY SEVERAL LOCAL AND AREA PERFORMERS ON TWO STAGES, PAVILION STAGE AND NORTH GROVE STAGE.

THE **2011 ROCK BEND FOLK FESTIVAL** IS ORGANIZED BY A COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER COMMITTEE, AND SUPPORTED BY GRANTS FROM THE PRAIRIE LAKES REGIONAL ARTS COUNCIL, WITH FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY THE MINNESOTA STATE LEGISLATURE AND THE MCKNIGHT FOUNDATION; THE SAINT PETER AREA TOURISM AND VISITORS BUREAU; AND THE CARL AND VERNA SCHMIDT FOUNDATION; AND LOCAL CONTRIBUTORS.

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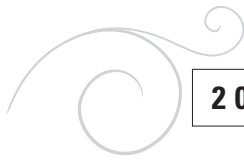


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2011 | arts and crafts application

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2011 arts and crafts booth rules and regulations

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1 In order to offset costs associated with producing this non-profit festival, we are suggesting that a *\$35 donation accompany this application form, in addition to four photos and a self-addressed stamped envelope, or digital photos of your work submitted to dawndevens@hotmail.com with your e-mail address.* The Rock Bend Folk Festival Committee will select entrants based on impact, originality and craftsmanship. No novelty items, such as caps, sparklers, etc, will be accepted. Acceptance of this application will remain the sole discretion of the Rock Bend Folk Festival Committee. **PHOTOS AND NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE WILL NOT BE RETURNED UNLESS A SELF-ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE IS ENCLOSED.**

2 Only one exhibitor per space and only one space per exhibitor is allowed. *You will be moved if you park without being directed to your space by Festival staff.*

3 Exhibitors are required to be present at their booths during both days of the festival and are responsible for providing his or her own display.

4 No applications postmarked later than *August 1, 2011*, will be accepted. All exhibitors are responsible for contacting the Rock Bend Folk Festival office by August 20, 2011, if they have not received a response to their application.

5 An area will be provided for loading and unloading. Please note: At the City of Saint Peter's request, there will be no parking on the grounds. *Please do not drive on the brick sidewalks.*

6 Proceeds from crafts sales will be retained by the exhibitors. *Exhibitors must submit a copy of their tax permit with this application.* Exhibitors are responsible for paying Minnesota state sales tax and assume full liability for the legitimacy of their merchandise

The Rock Bend Folk Festival will be held rain or shine.

7 *Detach & return the application below to:*

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Saint Peter, Minnesota 56082

e-mail questions to...
dawndevens@hotmail.com

website
www.rockbend.org



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I have read this application and I agree to all of its terms.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (Day) _____ (Evening) _____

e-mail _____

Type of work to be exhibited _____

Tax ID# _____ (Tax Permit copy attached)

I am willing to donate a raffle item from my work to help support the Festival.



2011	arts and crafts booth confirmation
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september 11 and 12, 2010 saint peter, minnesota

Dear Rock Bend Folk Festival Exhibitor:

I am pleased to inform you that your application for a booth at the 2011 Rock Bend Folk Festival, September 10 and 11, in Minnesota Square Park, St. Peter, has been accepted.

Please bring your booth and materials to the park between **8 a.m. and 10 a.m. Saturday, September 10**, so that you will be fully ready when the festival begins at noon. Festival staff will direct you to your designated booth location. ***You will be moved if you park without being directed to your space by Festival staff.*** Entrance to the park is on Elm Street, on the south side of the park, halfway down the block on the right.

If you are interested in giving a demonstration of your craft, time and space will be available at the North Grove Stage on the north side of the park. A festival staff person will be available at the North Grove Stage with a sign-up sheet.

Please note: At the City of Saint Peter's request, there will be no parking on the grounds. *Please do not drive on the brick sidewalks. I also want to remind you that no vehicles will be allowed to remain in the park after unloading.* There is ample parking around the park and on nearby streets. Please keep your vehicles off the grounds until the festival concludes at 7 p.m. Sunday, September 11. Thank you for your cooperation.

Directions to Minnesota Square Park are easy to follow.

- 1) Arriving to St. Peter from the north. Continue on Highway 169 through downtown St. Peter. The park is about a quarter-mile past downtown on your right. Turn right on Elm Street as you get to the south end of the park.
- 2) Arriving to St. Peter from the south. As you drive up Highway 169, the park will be on your left about a quarter-mile before you reach downtown St. Peter. Turn left on Elm Street just as you get to the park.
- 3) Arriving to St. Peter from the east (Highway 99). As you enter St. Peter from Cleveland or Le Center, go two blocks and turn left on Minnesota Avenue (Highway 169), the wide main street of St. Peter. Continue south through downtown St. Peter. The park is about a quarter-mile past downtown on your right. Turn right on Elm Street as you get to the south end of the park.
- 4) Arriving to St. Peter from the west. If you are entering St. Peter from the west, continue down the hill into downtown St. Peter, until you come to Minnesota Avenue (Highway 169). Turn right and go south about a quarter-mile past downtown. The park will be on your right. Turn right on Elm Street as you get to the south end of the park.

Thank you again for participating in the 2011 Rock Bend Folk Festival. If you have questions, please e-mail me at dawndevens@hotmail.com

Sincerely,

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